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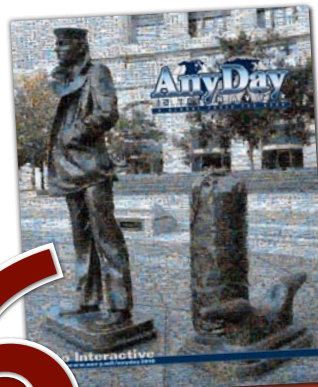
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# [On the Front Cover]

ET3 Dwight Clark, assigned to USS *Carter Hall* (LSD 50), removes broken cinder blocks from the rubble of a home in Neply, Haiti, during a community relations project.

Photo by MC1 Monique Hilley



# [On the Back Cover]

This year's back cover was created using 9,788 images which were submitted to *All Hands* Magazine for the *Any Day in the Navy* issue.

Photo illustration by Robb Gensic

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The role of America's Navy involves everything from engaging in combat and warfare support, to keeping waterways safe and open for global commerce, to deterring sea piracy and drug trafficking. And when called upon, it readily answers the need for humanitarian assistance and disaster relief anywhere, anytime. The responsibilities of America's Navy are carried out by the thousands of Sailors who work tirelessly to achieve the highest standards of excellence in hundreds of diverse career fields.

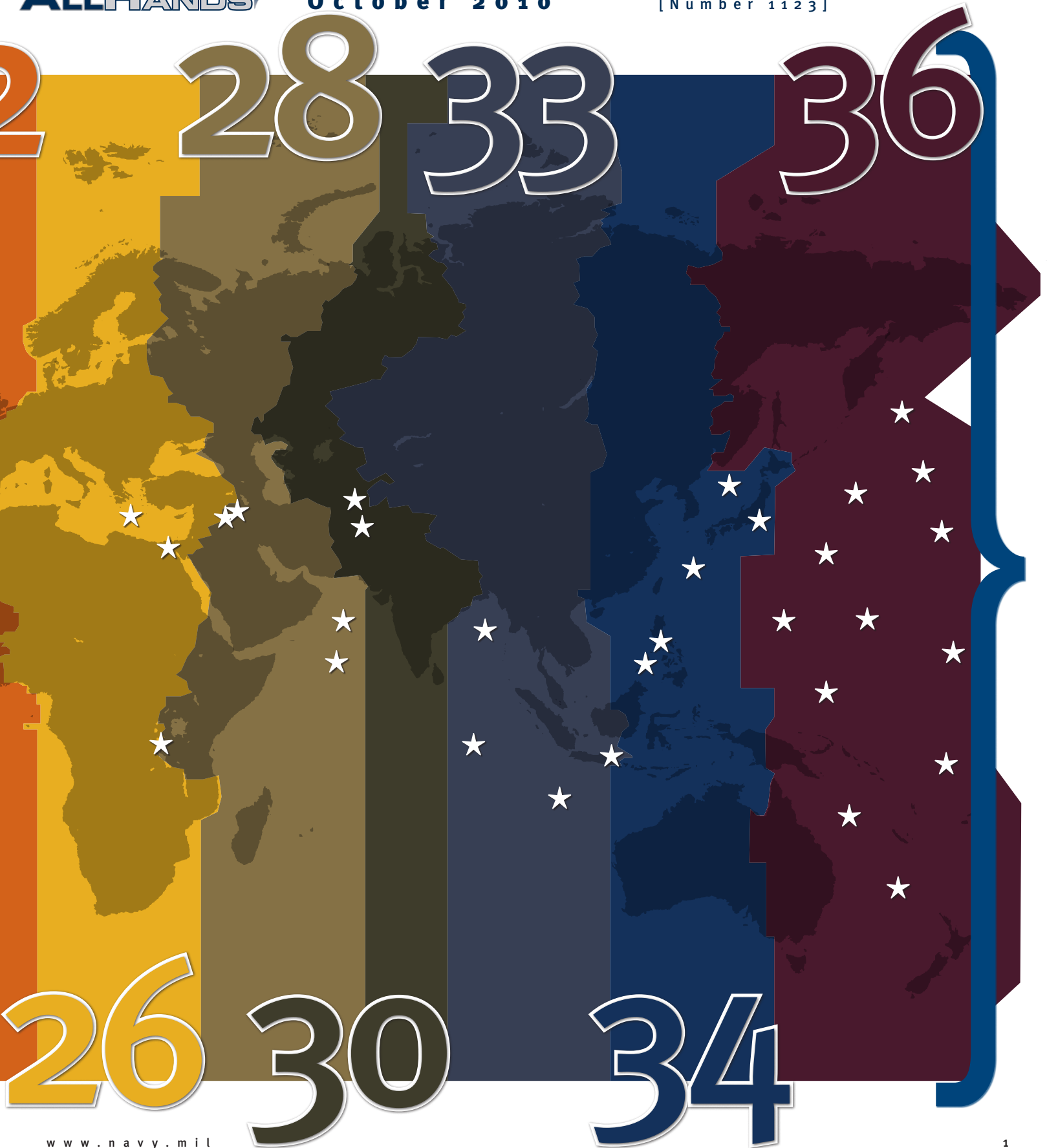



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This month's *All Hands* highlights the Navy's exceptional people and incredible capabilities, all focused on making the world a better place. This is what makes America's Navy, A GLOBAL FORCE FOR GOOD™.

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PACIFIC OCEAN - ABHAN Terrence  
Wever, from Charleston, S.C.,  
directs a T-45C *Goshawk* from  
Training Wing 2 to a catapult aboard  
USS *John C. Stennis* (CVN 74).

Photo by MC2 Kyle Steckler

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PEARL HARBOR - Members of the visit, board, search and seizure team assigned to USS *Crommelin* (FFG 37) board the Battleship *Missouri* Memorial during a maritime security training exercise.

Photo by MC2 Mark Logico

Far left— PACIFIC OCEAN - Sailors conduct an aqueous film foam systems test on the flight deck of USS *Nimitz* (CVN 68).

Photo by MCSA Andrew Jandik



PEARL HARBOR - PS3 Kathleen McDowell escorts Pearl Harbor attack survivor Woody Derby during a U.S. Navy and National Park Service ceremony honoring Sailors killed aboard USS *Nevada* (BB 36).

Photo by MC2 Mark Logico



PACIFIC OCEAN -  
A super rapid-  
blooming chaff  
canister is launched  
from USS *Peleliu*  
(LHA 5) during an  
antimissile defense  
drill off the coast of  
Southern California.

Photo by MC3  
Foster Bamford



PACIFIC OCEAN -  
A plane captain  
cleans an F/A-18C  
*Hornet* assigned  
to Strike Fighter  
Squadron 195  
aboard USS *George Washington*  
(CVN 73).

Photo by MCSN  
Jacob D. Moore





PEARL HARBOR -  
HTC Rodney Booker,  
a damage control  
training team  
member, evacuates  
the fire room during  
a major fuel oil leak  
drill aboard USS  
*Blue Ridge* (LCC 19).

Photo by MC3  
Daniel Viramontes



PEARL HARBOR -  
EN2 Victor Chavez  
(right) inspects JP-5  
fuel for water and  
particles during  
flight quarters  
aboard USS *Blue  
Ridge* (LCC 19).

Photo by MC3  
Daniel Viramontes





**SAN DIEGO** - YN2 Kim Reiske works on a computer-based revised Yeoman and Personnel Specialists Advanced Administration Course at the Center for Service Support learning site.

Photo by MC2 Chelsea Kennedy

**Right from top—**  
**CORONADO, Calif.** - Basic Underwater Demolition/SEAL students participate in surf passage at Naval Amphibious Base Coronado.

Photo by MC2 Kyle D. Gahlau

**SAN DIEGO** - Lt. j.g. Mark Belanger says goodbye to a loved one before boarding USS *New Orleans* (LPD 18) for a scheduled three-month deployment.

Photo by MC1 Brien Aho

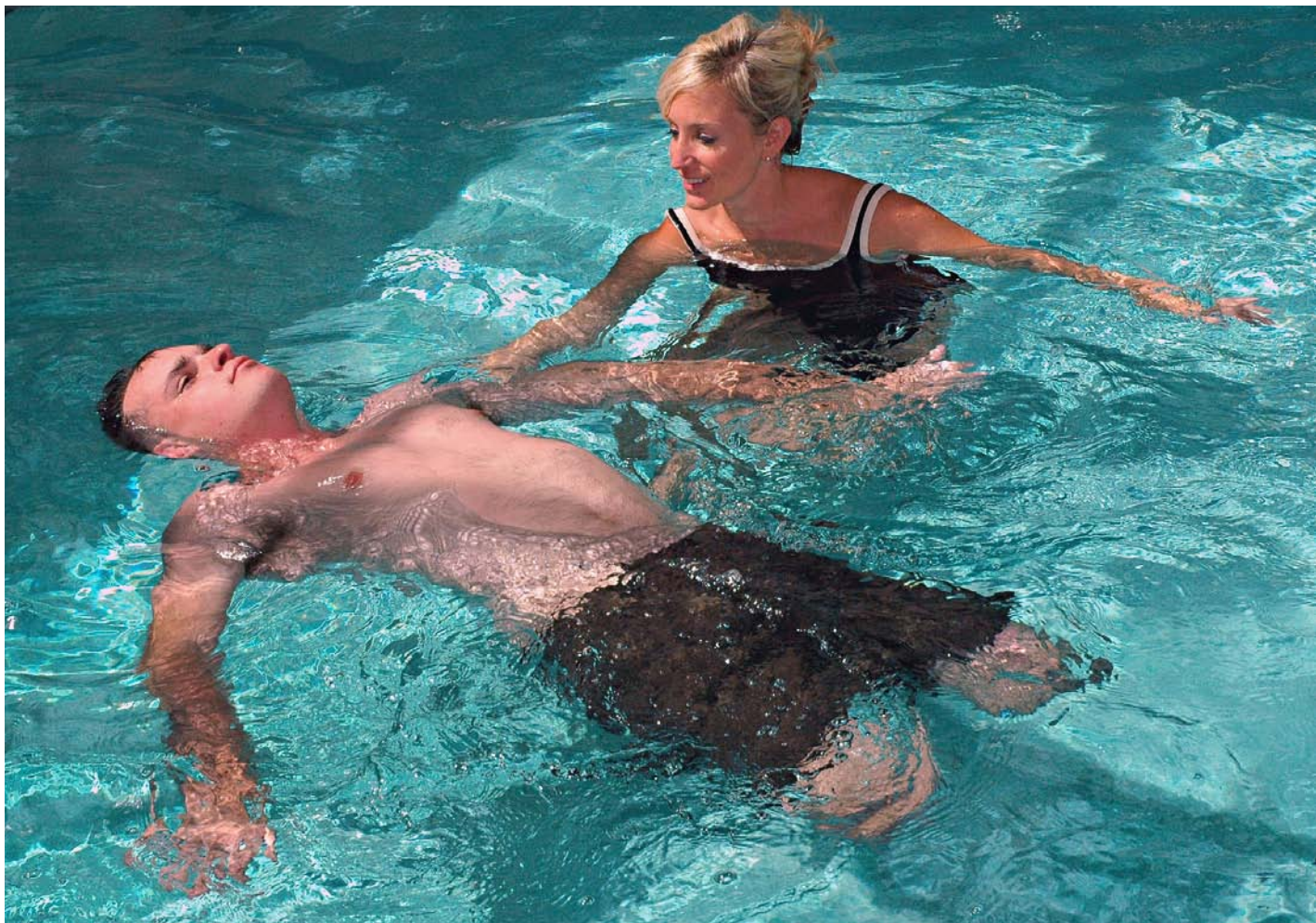
**Far right from top—**  
**SAN DIEGO** - Lyn A. Boulanger, a Naval Medical Center San Diego occupational therapist, assists Marine Corps Staff Sgt. Jesse A. Cottle, a bilateral amputee, while he practices swimming during endurance training at the Comprehensive Combat and Complex Casualty Care facility pool.

Photo by MC3 Jake Berenguer

**SAN DIEGO** - Midshipmen practice proper team hose handling techniques at the Fire Fighting Trainer at Naval Base San Diego.

Photo by MC2 Daniel J. Taylor







GULFPORT, Miss. - A Sailor assigned to Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 133 is welcomed home by his son after returning from a five-month deployment.

Photo by EO3  
Mikayla Mondragon

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. - Navy team members warm up for a preliminary wheelchair basketball game against the Air Force at the inaugural Warrior Games at the U.S. Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs.

Photo by MC1  
R. Jason Brunson





MILLINGTON, Tenn. -Fire rescue personnel evacuate family members from base housing at Naval Support Activity Mid-South.

U.S. Navy photo

Above left—  
CORONADO, Calif. - Sailors assigned to Beach Master Unit 1 move a beached sailboat into position to be salvaged.

Photo by MC2 Brian P. Caracci

SAN DIEGO - Lt. William Dorwart, a chaplain assigned to the USS *Ronald Reagan* (CVN 76), leads a congregation during mass.

Photo by MCSN Benjamin C. Jernigan



GROTON, Conn. - Students learn firefighting techniques such as basic hose handling, using aqueous film forming foam and using potassium bicarbonate and carbon dioxide fire extinguishers during training evolutions as part of Basic Enlisted Submarine School at Naval Submarine Base New London, Conn.

Photo by MC2 Jhi L. Scott

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KINGS BAY, Ga. - Sailors assigned to USS *Florida* (SSGN 728) practice controlling the boat in the Ship's Control Team Trainer at the Trident Training Facility.

Photo by MC1 Jennifer A. Villalovos

Top—  
WASHINGTON - Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Gary Roughead, Secretary of the Navy Ray Mabus and Commandant of the Marine Corps Gen. James T. Conway deliver testimony and answer questions from members of the House Appropriations Committee on Defense regarding the FY11 Department of the Navy Budget Overview.

Photo by MC2 Kristopher Wilson

CHARLESTOWN, Mass. - BM2 Garrett Renner, a crew member aboard USS *Constitution*, guides a team of Navy chief selects in the ship's port whale boat.

Photo by MC2 Clay Weis



PENSACOLA, Fla. - Lt. Cmdr. Darrell Foster, director of training for Center for Information Dominance Corry Station, licks up the remains of a whipped cream pie while Center for Information Dominance Corry Station Cmdr. Evan Hipsley, wearing the remnants of a blueberry pie, looks on during the annual "Pie in the Face" contest to raise money for the Oct. 17 command Navy Day Ball.

Photo by Gary Nichols



PHILADELPHIA - Crew members man-the-rails during the commissioning ceremony of USS *Wayne E. Meyer* (DDG 108) at Penn's Landing, Philadelphia.

Photo by MC1  
Tiffini Jones Vanderwyst





ANNAPOLIS, Md. -  
A plebe navigates  
the low crawl  
obstacle during  
Sea Trials at the  
U.S. Naval Academy.

Photo by MC1  
Gregory E. Badger

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. - AOC James Beraducci and side boys from Helicopter Maritime Squadron 70 bow their heads in prayer during a retirement ceremony.

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QUEBEC - The U.S. Navy Band, led by Capt. George N. Thompson, performs an action-adventure medley on the floor of the Pepsi Coliseum during the International Festival of Military Bands.

Photo by MUCS Aaron Porter





WINTER PARK, Fla. - MCPON Rick West and Ima Black, widow of the Navy's first MCPON, GMCM Del Black, look through old photos of Black.

Photo by MC1  
Jennifer A. Villalovos

MAYPORT, Fla. - Lt. Peter Bras reunites with his daughters during a homecoming celebration for Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Light 46, Det. 5, at Naval Station Mayport.

Photo by MC2  
Gary B. Granger Jr.





PACIFIC OCEAN - BM3 Renee Cabrales waits in the well deck of USS *New Orleans* (LPD 18) for Landing Craft Utility 1617 to return after exercises on Ancon Beach, Peru.

Photo by MC1 Brien Aho

DOSWELL, Va. - Chief petty officer (CPO) selects participate in a CPO Pride March during CPO Day at Kings Dominion.

Photo by MC1 Brien Aho





BOGUE, N.C. - GM2 James Dugan, special warfare combatant craft crewmen assigned to Bogue Team 12, uses a red flare to signal an aircraft for a personnel recovery mission during a training exercise at a Marine Corps auxiliary landing field.

Photo by Marine Corps  
Cpl. James F. Cline III



WHITING FIELD, Fla. - Crash division crew members assigned to Naval Air Station Whiting Field put out a fire on a mobile aircraft firefighting trainer.

Photo by Jay Cope





BONEL, Haiti - HMC Rioni, a member of a maritime civil affairs team embarked aboard USS *Carter Hall* (LSD 50), gives water to a dehydrated child after a devastating earthquake left the village of Bonel with a severe shortage of food and water.

Photo by MC1 Monique Hilley



PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti - ASAN Jackie Willson, from Orlando, Fla., attached to USS *Theodore Roosevelt* (CVN 62) works along side ABM1 John Guerrier, an 11 year resident of Port-au-Prince, while easing the suffering of earthquake survivors.

Photo by MC2 Todd Frantom





BONEL, Haiti - A Haitian boy watches as rigid-hull inflatable boats from USS *Fort McHenry* (LSD 43) and USS *Carter Hall* (LSD 50) arrive ashore at the New Hope Mission at Bonel, in support of Operation *Unified Response*.

Photo by MC2 ristopher Wilson

Above left—PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti - U.S. Navy Sailors assist a woman from an SH-60S *Sea Hawk* helicopter assigned to USS *Carl Vinson* (CVN 70).

Photo by MC2 Daniel Barker

NEPLY, Haiti - A Haitian boy uses a meal-ready-to-eat bag as a backpack in Neply, Haiti.

Photo by MC1 Hendrick Dickson

DELMAS, Haiti -  
Three Haitian men  
observe U.S. ships  
off the coast of Haiti.

Photo by MC2  
Todd Frantom



PORT-AU-PRINCE,  
Haiti - BU2 Andrej  
Paskevic, assigned  
to Underwater  
Construction Team  
1, drills guide holes  
into a damaged  
section of a pier at  
Port-au-Prince.

Photo by MC2 Chris Lussier

Opposite page—  
GRAND GOAVE,  
Haiti - ET2 Adam  
Soper, left, and OS2  
Danny Gladstein,  
both members of  
the visit, board,  
search and seizure  
team from USS *Fort  
McHenry* (LSD 43),  
walk to the medical  
clinic at the Lifeline  
Christian Ministries  
Mission in Grand  
Goave, Haiti, with  
a Haitian girl.

Photo by MC2 Chris Lussier







ARCTIC OCEAN - MM2 Corey Stabenow inspects the deck of USS *Texas* (SSN 775) after surfacing in the vicinity of the North Pole.

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ATLANTIC OCEAN -  
Sailors aboard USS  
*Harry S. Truman*  
(CVN 75) stand by  
to secure an aircraft  
during preparations  
for *Joint Task Force*  
*Exercise 2009*.

Photo by MC3  
Matthew D. Williams

ATLANTIC OCEAN -  
An F/A-18 *Super*  
*Hornet* assigned  
to Fighter Attack  
Squadron 37 lands  
on the flight deck  
of USS *Harry S.*  
*Truman* (CVN 75).

Photo by MC2  
Gina K. Wollman





ATLANTIC OCEAN - Lt. Zac Stang, operations administrator and Jewish lay leader of USS *Harry S. Truman* (CVN 75), lights a candle celebrating the first night of Hanukah in the ship's chapel.

Photo by MC1 Brien Aho

ATLANTIC OCEAN - ABH2 Noe Galarzapadilla signals an aircraft elevator operator during a mass casualty drill aboard USS *Carl Vinson* (CVN 70).

Photo by MC3 Antwuan Richards-Jamison





ATLANTIC OCEAN - Landing signalmen launch an MV-22 Osprey assigned to Marine Medium Tiltrotor Squadron 162 from USS Nassau (LHA 4) during a Composite Unit Training Exercise.

Photo by MC1 Brien Aho

ATLANTIC OCEAN - DC2 Michael Sisco, from San Diego, Calif., and DCFN Edward J. Morrison, from Rohobeth Beach, Del., participate in a general quarters drill aboard USS Nassau (LHA 4).

Photo by MCSN Jonathan Pankau





SOUDA BAY, Greece -  
Sailors aboard  
USS *Gunston  
Hall* (LSD 44) lift  
the American  
flag off a casket  
during a burial at  
sea ceremony.

Photo by MCSA  
Jessica Echerri

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt - Marines assigned to the 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit, along with Marines from Kuwait and Pakistan, conduct an amphibious assault demonstration during Exercise *Bright Star 2009*.

Photo by MC2  
Kiona Miller



SOUDA BAY, Greece - Crew members conduct mooring operations as USS *Florida* (SSGN 728) arrives for a routine port visit to the island of Crete.

Photo by Paul Farley



RAMADI, Iraq - A Sailor assigned to Special Operations Task Force West folds an American flag during a memorial marking the anniversary of the death of EOD2 Tyler Trahan.

Photo by MC2 Aaron Burden

Below right—  
NORTH ARABIAN SEA - A Sailor fuels an F/A-18F *Super Hornet* aboard USS *Dwight D. Eisenhower* (CVN 69) while the pilot prepares for flight operations.

Photo by MC2  
Gina K. Wollman

MACUBA, Rwanda - HM2 Porfirio Nino, from Maritime Civil Affairs Team 104, practices pronouncing words in Kinyarwanda, the local language of Rwanda, with locals from the Bunyamanza village.

Photo by MCCC  
Jon E. McMillan



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TIKRIT, Iraq - A Sailor assigned to Explosive Ordnance Disposal Mobile Unit 2 operates a small unmanned ground vehicle to gather situational awareness during a training evolution to locate, identify, render safe and dispose of an improvised explosive device.

Photo by MC1 Miguel Angel Contreras

ARABIAN SEA - An aviation ordnanceman tests ordnance before flight operations aboard USS Dwight D. Eisenhower (CVN 69).

Photo by MC3 Chad R. Erdmann



HELMAND PROVINCE,  
Afghanistan - PO3  
Clifton Ammons,  
assigned to Naval  
Mobile Construction  
Battalion 74, uses a  
leveling rod during  
a construction  
project at Forward  
Operating Base  
Geronimo in the  
Nawa District of  
Helmand Province.

Photo by Marine Corps  
Lance Cpl. Phillip Elgie



HELMAND PROVINCE,  
Afghanistan - HM2  
Lamonte Hammond,  
left, assigned to  
Bravo Company,  
1st Battalion, 5th  
Marine Regiment,  
treats an Afghan  
child who was hit  
by a tractor in  
Nawa District of  
Helmand Province.

Photo by Marine Corps  
Cpl. Artur Shvartsberg

HELMAND PROVINCE,  
Afghanistan -  
Seabees assigned  
to Naval Mobile  
Construction  
Battalion 74 bury  
two kilometers of  
fiber optic cable  
for their new camp  
in the expansion  
area of Camp  
Leatherneck.

Photo by MC2  
Michael Lindsey





HELMAND PROVINCE, Afghanistan - HM3 Landon Hoft, assigned to Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment at forward operating base Blue Falcon's Nest, writes a letter to his family.

Photo by Marine Corps Cpl. Artur Shvartsberg



U.S. 5th FLEET AOR - A Sailor, assigned to V-2 Division of the air department, checks the catapult line for any discrepancies prior to flight operations on the flight deck of USS *Harry S. Truman* (CVN 75).

Photo by MC2 Kilho Park

BADGHIS PROVINCE, Afghanistan - Sailors assigned to Mobile Diving and Salvage Unit 2 drag a *Zodiac* inflatable boat up the Bala Murgahab River in Afghanistan during a search for the body of Army Sgt. Brandon Islip.

Photo by MC1 Matthew Bash





BALURAN, Indonesia - Lt. Yesenia Astorga, assigned to the 11th Marine Expeditionary Unit as a general medical officer, checks the heartbeat of a young patient at a clinic.

Photo by Cpl. Shawn M. Spittler

Top—  
INDIAN OCEAN - OS2 Henry Mejia spars with OS3 Danny Aldana in the hangar bay of USS *Nimitz* (CVN 68).

Photo by MCSN Robert Winn

Left—  
U.S. 5th FLEET AOR - Explosive ordnance disposal technicians assigned to Explosive Ordnance Disposal Mobile Unit 1 conduct dive equipment familiarization and training.

Photo by MC2 Kathleen A. Gorby





OKINAWA, Japan - A Sailor supervises as Marines assigned to the 31st Marine Expeditionary Unit Battalion Landing Team, 3rd Battalion, 5th Marines, debark USS *Essex* (LHD 2) after exercise *Talisman Saber 2009*.

Photo by MC2  
Greg Johnson

PALAWAN, Philippines - Ensign Whitney Steiger, assigned to USS *Harpers Ferry* (LSD 49), speaks with a student from West Central Elementary School during a community service project.

Photo by MC2  
Joshua J. Wahl





YOKOSUKA, Japan - CSSN Mikhail Mendoza slices roast beef during a family appreciation meal aboard USS *Blue Ridge* (LCC 19).

Photo by MC2 Cynthia Griggs

SEA OF JAPAN - Sailors and Marines aboard USS *Harpers Ferry* (LSD 49) move supplies during a vertical replenishment with USNS *Alan Shepard* (T-AKE 3).

Photo by MC2 Joshua J. Wahl

MANILA - Sailors working with Joint Special Operations Task Force-Philippines rescue Manila residents after flooding from Typhoon Ketsana destroyed homes and displaced thousands of residents.

Photo by MC2 William Ramsey





PACIFIC OCEAN - AME3 Rick Shammel, from Hartford, Conn., signals the shooter as a Strike Fighter Squadron 122 F/A-18F *Super Hornet* launches from USS *John C. Stennis* (CVN 74).

Photo by MC2 Walter M. Wayman

PACIFIC OCEAN - CS3 Brandon Troublefield speaks to other members of his working party before a replenishment at sea aboard USS *Blue Ridge* (LCC 19).

Photo by MC2 Cynthia Griggs



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PACIFIC OCEAN - DC2 Danny Harris (left), MR2 John Ray and AEAN Anthony Sutton pull an SH-60F *Sea Hawk* helicopter across the flight deck of USS *Blue Ridge* (LCC 19).

Photo by MC2 Cynthia Griggs



PACIFIC OCEAN - Sailors assigned to the weapons department aboard USS *George Washington* (CVN 73) fire an M2 .50 caliber machine gun during a night live-fire exercise.

Photo by MC2 Jared Hill



PACIFIC OCEAN - Two boatswain's mates aboard USS *Peleliu* (LHA 5) secure Landing Craft Utility 1666 inside the well deck.

Photo by MC2 Foster Bamford





PACIFIC OCEAN - SH1 Garnet Valenzuela speaks with MAC Gerard Icar aboard USS *New Orleans* (LPD 18).

Photo by MC2 Daniel Barker

PACIFIC OCEAN - EA-6B *Prowler* aircrew members from Electronic Attack Squadron 136, commence start-up procedures on the flight deck aboard USS *George Washington* (CVN 73).

Photo by MC1 John M. Hageman





PACIFIC OCEAN - Two HH-60H *Sea Hawk* helicopters, assigned to Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron 6, armed with AGM-114 *Hellfire* missiles, fly in formation to a live fire exercise on Oki Daito Jima range.

Photo by MC2 Jason Graham

PACIFIC OCEAN - Capt. Michael C. Manazir receives a wetting down by shipmates after his final arrested landing as commanding officer of USS *Nimitz* (CVN 68) during a deployment in the western Pacific Ocean.

Photo by MC2 Gregory A. Streit



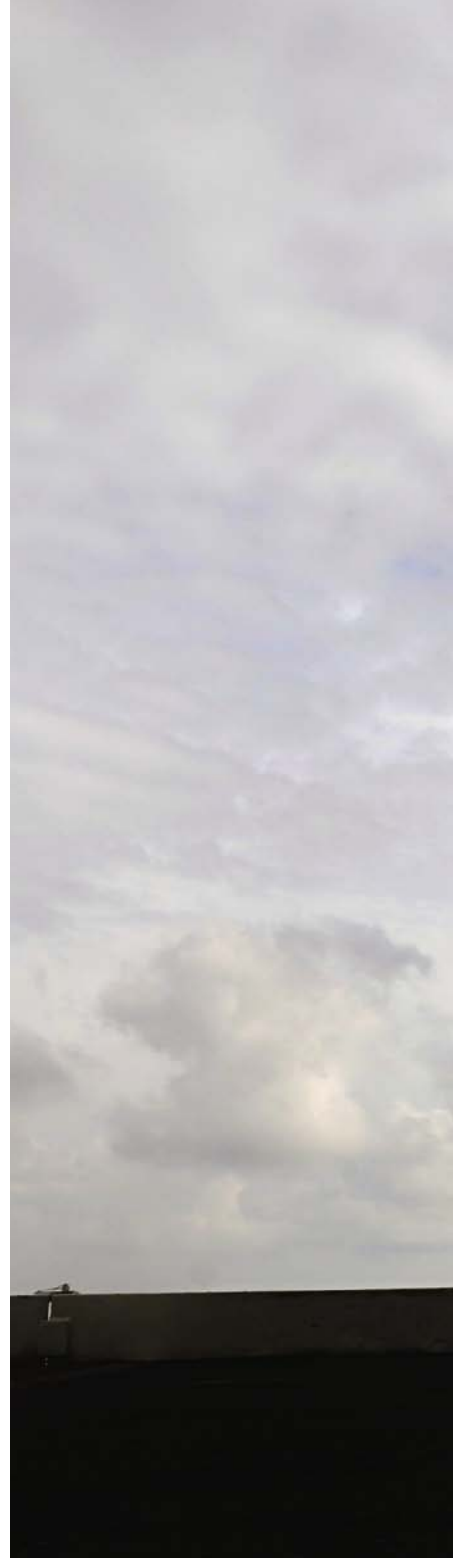


PACIFIC OCEAN - Chaplain Lt. Jason Gregory reads Bible verses on the weather deck aboard *USS Bunker Hill* (CG 52).

Photo by MC2 Daniel Barker

Top— PACIFIC OCEAN - Sailors assigned to the colors detail fold the national ensign on the flight deck of *USS Nimitz* (CVN 68).

Photo by MCSN Robert Winn



PACIFIC OCEAN - Sailors bow their heads in prayer during a burial at sea ceremony aboard *USS John C. Stennis* (CVN 74).

Photo by MC3 Josue L. Escobosa



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